



MONTHLY MEETING  
MONDAY, JULY 12th - 2 PM  
On the Agenda.....  
--Summer Programs  
--Committee Reports

#### AT THE JUNE MEETING

Reports were in from the first shows of the year.....the Associate Members Exhibition, an open un-juried and good looking show, was put together by Lida Fry and Rachel Armstrong.....and Bob Braunfield's third annual "Wildlife in Art" to benefit the Nature Conservancy came up with a record attendance and appreciation for his wildlife artists.

Committee news includes the House&Grounds report of the reshingling of the south side of the building (at last!) and similar work around the front entrance and, add to that, some inside cleanup and patching.....Cara Schwartz continued her update on Grants, suggesting we compose our wish list and look to our goals.....Richard Armstrong has volunteered to take on the publicity ventures that have long been performed admirably by Helen Schink.....Posting chairman, Betty Kusche presented a Posting schedule to sign up more volunteers for envelope stuffing and sticker sticking. (Some say it's more fun than a quilting bee!)

We discussed the advantages of the submission restrictions on painting sizes.....the proposal of artist members' fees for exhibitions.....video taping of shows.....and finally, the formation of a nominating committee to prepare a slate of officers for the annual September meeting. For the later, Bill Kusche will work with Michael Pater, Bill Babcock, Ann Wright and Linda Legassie.

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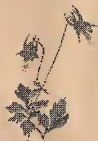
SUNDAY, JUNE 27th - 2 PM  
Watercolor Demonstration  
by  
LOU BONAMARTE

#### SPRING JURIED SHOW

June 13 to July 11

We have a beautiful collection of work in the gallery with our first juried show of the year. Ballinger and Youngs were co-chairmen for the show which opened to a large audience on Sunday, June 13th. Toe-tapping music was provided by one of our favorites, Russell Curtis' YANKEE BANDIT'S from Essex, and the weatherman served us with the best of days.

Be sure to see this show .....before it closes on July 11th.



## CONN. PASTEL SOCIETY

Opening on June 27th and continuing through July 23rd, the Connecticut Pastel Society is presenting a juried show **RENAISSANCE IN PASTEL**. Our own pastelists **JOANNE BALLINGER**, **CARA SCHWARTZ** and **SHIRLEY YOUNGS** are included in the exhibition.

—The exhibition will be held at the Paul Mellon Arts Center - Choate Rosemary Hall in Wallingford where there will be demonstrations by pastelists Paul Leveilla on Saturday, July 3, 1 to 3pm, and Frank Frederica on Saturday, July 10.

—Slide and tape presentations will be shown weekly (Mon. thru Fri. - 2 to 3pm) with Monet on the week June 28, Degas on the week of July 5 and Cassatt on the week of July 12.

## LINDA ON TV

Our director Linda Legassie took part in an interview for the TV series entitled **ART TALK**, sponsored by the Griffis Art Center, a non-profit corporation dedicated to the cultivation and encouragement of contemporary Fine Arts and artists. Pamela Bond was the narrator for the topic "How Can Artists Assure That Their Work Will Be Shown?" Jeffrey Cooley represented the view of a commercial gallery owner and Linda participated as Director of a non-profit gallery.

The interview is #13 in the series. **ART TALK** began on May 24th and is shown weekly on Monday nights on Eastern Connecticut Cable channel #25. (#13 will appear sometime in August.)

Art represents a social necessity that no nation can neglect without endangering its intellectual existence.....**JOHN RUSKIN**



## ARTISTS AT WORK

*The Conn. Women Artists, the Paint and Clay Club of New Haven, and the Connecticut Watercolor Society have elected HELEN SCHINK to artist membership.....DOUG SMITH, LIDA FRY, and AL PERRY are signed up to paint in the newly opened Chadwick studio on the grounds of the Florence Griswold Museum this summer June through September.....along with CARA SCHWARTZ, RACHEL ARMSTRONG, JOANNE BALLINGER, BARBARA MAISER, ANN MORAN and SHIRLEY YOUNGS.....Back from Oklahoma City in Oklahoma, LOU BONAMARTE has had the honor of being a judge for the Cowboy Hall of Fame at the National Academy of Western Art which represents the very best work from artists in the western part of our country.....An acrylic/watercolor workshop is being formed at the Crow's Nest Studio, 23 Race Rock Rd. in Waterford with HELEN SCHINK on July 7, 8, 9 from 9am to 1pm. The enrollment is limited, so call 443-4823 for further information now.*

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**PICK UP - SPRING JURIED SHOW**

Sunday and Monday - July 11 & 12 - 2 to 4pm



RECEPTION  
SUMMER JURIED SHOW  
FRIDAY, JULY 16  
5 to 8pm

**RECEIVING - SUMMER JURIED SHOW**

Sunday - July 11 - Noon to 4pm

Monday - July 12 - 9 to Noon

Members Only - July 12 - Noon to 4pm

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